

SCHOOL LAND RULES PUBLIC

Visitors in Business Hours Are Not Favored.

AS TO SIGNING TRANSFERS

Husband and Wife Must Act to Make It Legal.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The following rules, governing the workings of the territorial school land office were posted today in each of the various office rooms of that department:

"Recognizing the school land office as a regular department of the executive branch of the territorial government, entrusted with some of the most important interests of the territory, the board for leasing territorial school and reserved lands, does this 20th day of October, 1903, adopt and put in force the following rules of the board prescribing the duties of the secretary and governing the workings of the department:

"1. Office hours shall be from 8:30 a. m. until 5 p. m., allowing a recess at noon of one and a half hours, and all employees are expected to be on duty during these hours, unless excused for a cause.

"2. Employees shall not receive visitors in office during office hours, except members of families.

"3. Employees shall not smoke nor read newspapers while on duty during office hours, nor leave the building without permission from the secretary.

"4. While employees of this office are assigned to particular branches of the work regularly and shall perform the duties of their office, they are expected to take up other lines of work when there is nothing before them in regular assignment, and when they have no work on hand they shall report to the secretary for assignment.

"5. No letters relative to the work of the department in any way shall be sent out by individual employees; all letters must be submitted to the secretary for approval and to bear his written or stamped signature, and copied in the letter book.

"6. In the absence of the secretary, one of the employees who shall have been designated by him before leaving, shall be in charge as acting secretary."

The rules are signed by Governor Ferguson as chairman of the board and by Fred L. Wenner as secretary.

Another ruling of importance recently adopted by the leasing board relates to the duties of the other, of husband and wife, when one or the other happens to be a school land leasee. Henceforth neither the husband or wife shall make a transfer of their lease without the signature of the other. As in the transfer of a deed to land the wife must sign with her husband to make the transaction legal. In the past, it is said, that when husband and wife had likely quarreled and divorce proceedings were pending, the husband had taken advantage of the fact to cash in his lease by transferring it and leaving his wife without any of the benefits.

HOBART HAS FIRE.

Henry Hotel in West Hobart Is Destroyed.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Hobart, Kiowa county, had another disastrous fire Thursday night, an account of which is as follows:

About 6 o'clock last evening a fire broke out in the Henry hotel in West Hobart and soon destroyed that building, together with a considerable amount of furniture and household goods.

The alarm was promptly given and a large crowd congregated at the scene of the conflagration, but by this time the flames had gained such headway as to make it impossible to save the building, although a heroic effort was made to do so.

The flames spread to an office building which stood near the hotel, and burned it also. Besides the sheds and board fencing of the wagon yard which were contiguous to this property were badly damaged and almost wholly destroyed by being torn away by excited men who were trying to prevent the spreading of the fire.

Several tons of coal had been stored in the rear of the hotel, and when the building burned the coal ignited, several tons being badly damaged before the fire could be extinguished.

Almost all the furniture and household goods in the lower rooms were saved, but everything in the upper rooms was lost.

M. M. Henry was the owner of the building, which was valued at \$1000. He had \$500 insurance. Charlie McDaniels was operating the hotel, but he saved nearly all of his goods. He had no insurance.

The fire was discovered in the upper part of the house, over the kitchen, and is thought to have been caused by a defective flue.

COURTING MEET OPENS.

Many Fine Dogs Have Been Entered for the Contest.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Members of the Oklahoma City Coursing club opened a meeting at Colcord park in that city today, which was largely attended, thoroughbred greyhounds being entered from all points in Oklahoma, Indian territory, Texas and other western states. In speaking of the event, the Oklahoma boys:

James Sweeney, of San Francisco, Cal., reached the city yesterday with a half dozen beauties. Frank Jackson, of St. Louis, also came in from California with a string of dogs he is training for Lacy



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Crawford. He brings eight dogs, including the celebrities, Laughing Water, Hector and Lord Brasen.

C. L. Root, of Kansas, came in yesterday morning with half a dozen fine ones and C. L. Lyon, of Sherman, Texas, president of the American Coursing board reached here in the afternoon with several thoroughbreds.

The courting field at Colcord park was badly cut up by the broncos of Mulhall's wild west aggregation and some of the members of the coursing association are criticizing it in strong terms.

A courting enthusiast of national reputation yesterday paid a high compliment to Mr. Reilly, who is to act as judge of the events at the Colcord park meet. He said:

"There are only two or three really competent courting judges in America, and I place Judge Reilly at the head of the list. He is a thorough horseman, knows the game from top to bottom, and is every inch a gentleman. His rulings are clean in every respect, and his decisions prompt and correct."

More than two hundred jack-rabbits have been secured from the Texas Panhandle to be employed at the meeting.

WAS INSTANTLY KILLED.

Thrown by His Pony Against a Barb Wire Fence.

Alva, O. T., Oct. 20.—Roy Jones, age 14 years, son of J. W. Jones, four miles southeast of Cherokee, was instantly killed Monday morning, says the Pioneer. He rode his pony from home to school; the school grounds are enclosed with a barbed wire fence, but a smooth wire is stretched on top. Roy came riding up to a lively gallop and when the pony went to stop quickly he stumbled and fell, throwing Roy over his head onto the wire which struck the unfortunate lad fairly under the chin, cutting his throat and breaking his neck at the same time. He died almost without a struggle.

DEAD IN THE STREET.

Fourth Member of the Tribe Killed by Extracts.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—At Sac and Fox agency, Tuesday, an Indian named Harry Hall, whose Indian name was Ne-pah-koh-hin, was found dead in the streets. He was about 26 years of age, and his demise was the cause of too assiduous devotion to lemon and peppermint extracts. He had been suffering from these for several months. The superintendent has ordered a thorough search to be made for these extracts, and will destroy all that is found.

FIRE SPREAD QUICKLY.

Several Stacks of Hay Are Burned Through Carelessness.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—At Albia some one dropped a fire into the grass on Gus Reimer's place last Sunday and the fire quickly spread over the adjoining places and burned up several stacks of hay, in all about twenty tons, which was all the feed the men had. James Viers' pasture was burned over, destroying all his feed for his stock.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Broom Corn Sells Well.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The Edmond Enterprise says that broom corn is selling at from \$20 to \$30 a ton. It is necessary to put more labor on an acre of broom corn than upon that of wheat or a number of other crops, but at the same time the profits are much greater. Wheat is calculated at \$12 or \$15 an acre, while broom corn goes to \$30 and \$40. Most of the labor put upon the grower can do himself.

Attached to Kay County.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The Republic News-Journal of Newkirk says that the Kaw Indians have duly attached themselves to Kay county by filing for record 24 deeds to 160 acres of choice land. There will be 24 additional deeds to about 24 acres each of the surplus grazing lands. Some of the Kaw families have farms of over a thousand or more acres. They are land rich.

For a Week's Sport.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—A hunting party, composed of Governor T. B. Ferguson, secretary of State William Grimes, D. F. Smith, Dr. G. H. Phillips, of Pawnee; Scooby & Sons, of \$25,000 damages, alleging that the belt was at fault, being loose and running irregular.

If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other Hood's cures.

Ordered an Election.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The board of county commissioners for Kay county has ordered an election to be held in that county on December, submitting to the voters the proposition to bond the county for the erection of an addition to the county jail, to cost \$5,000, also to determine the question of locating a county high school at Bruman.

Granted a New Trial.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Marion Sneed, who was convicted at Lorton at the last term of the district court for conspiracy in the murder of Jim Furbur at Texawa, and sentenced to the penitentiary for life, has been granted a new trial by Judge Gillette, who presided at the trial of the case.

Brings Damage Suit.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—At Alva Eliza P. Weaver, who some time ago had his arm caught under the belt of a dynamo at the mill and his arm badly injured, has brought suit through his attorneys Scooby & Sons for \$25,000 damages, alleging that the belt was at fault, being loose and running irregular.

Pierce Dust Storm.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—A fierce dust storm of this morning was broken this afternoon by a rainstorm that is still falling. This is the first rain in Oklahoma for over two weeks.

Prisoner to Pawnee.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Deputy Marshal Dick Miller went to Pawnee federal court today with one prisoner, Jay Henderson, charged with selling liquor to Indians.

ROCK ISLAND BOUGHT ROAD

Deed of the Enid and Anadarko Road Filed.

ROLLING STOCK AND ALL

Consideration for Line Was Above Six Millions.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The Enid and Anadarko railway with all its stations, rolling stock and other property has been sold to the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway company and the deed, which is signed by C. H. Warren, vice-president, and George H. Crosby, secretary of the E. and A. R. R., was filed with Territorial Secretary Grimes yesterday.

The consideration was \$6,122,000. Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The contract for building the Colorado, Oklahoma and Texas railroad from Duncan, I. T., to Lawton, O. T., has been awarded to the Missouri and Kansas Construction company and work is to begin at once. Contracts for the line from Lawton to Ardmore, O. T., and from Duncan to Ardmore, I. T., will be let in a few days.

The C. O. & T. Ry. is to extend from Pueblo, Colo., to Denison or Sherman, Texas.

ABUSE MUST CEASE.

Attorney General Sends Letter to the Sanitarium Manager.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The death of Frank Elgin, an inmate of the sanitarium for the insane at Norman, and the binding over of James W. Seavers, formerly a guard at the asylum, on the charge of manslaughter in the first degree, claiming that Elgin's death was due to a terrible beating at the hands of Seavers, has led Attorney General Roberts to address the following letter to the superintendent of the sanitarium:

"Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20, 1903. "Mr. G. C. Boland, Superintendent of Hospital for Insane, Norman, O. T. "My dear Mr. Boland:—I very much deplore the use of violence toward patients by attendants at the insane asylum. I know that you join me in this feeling and that you will do everything in your power to prevent the occurrence of another Elgin case. I believe that I can help you in this. If you will make it a point to inform this office, and also the county attorney of Cleveland county, of every case of alleged cruel treatment, I will, upon the ascertainment of the facts, see to it that each case is vigorously prosecuted. I incline to believe that all kindred attendants have no legal right to assault or otherwise treat these unfortunate, and it will not be permitted or overlooked.

"I therefore request of you that so soon as you learn of a case of bad treatment of any kind, you inform this office of the fact. If you see fit, you may inform the attendants of the receipt of this letter that they may fully understand my intentions. Respectfully,

"J. C. ROBERTS, Attorney General."

ELK CITY HAS A FIRE.

First Severe Blaze in Four Years Visits the Town.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Elk City, metropolis of Roger Mills county, has suffered its first severe fire since the formation of the city, about four years ago. Conservative conclusions today make the total loss about \$250,000, and the insurance about \$150,000, which is much more favorable than was at first feared. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it totally destroyed eight business buildings and much of their contents, the following being a summary of the losses and insurance:

C. P. Sneed, loss \$18,000; insurance \$7,000. Masonic building, owned by Dr. Standiford, loss \$5,000; insurance, \$2,500. Mitchell and Smith, who had just moved, occupied by the following lodges: Masons, Eastern Star, Odd Fellows, K. of P., two lodges Woodmen of the World; total loss of all equipment; no insurance, except \$50 by the K. of P. lodge. This building was owned by Dr. Standiford and valued at \$1,200; insurance \$650.00.

Dr. McComas, office fixtures, loss \$100; insurance, \$50. John R. Bohn, building, loss \$200; insurance, \$1,000. Rogers Manufacturing Machinery, loss \$200; no insurance. Keller building, owned by Mrs. J. A. Mays, estimated value \$1,200, loss \$200 with no insurance; Valley building, loss on building and the lot \$3,500; insurance, \$600; Robinson and Wine building, loss \$800; insurance, \$400. Robinson and Son, furniture, loss \$2,000; insurance \$500; Murphy school building, owned by Herring and Young, building valued at \$600; insurance \$500; DeLong building, loss \$500; insurance \$500; T. J. McAllen, farm machinery, value \$4,000; salvage on stock estimated at \$1,500; insurance on building, \$1,000; on stock \$1,000.

DAN CUPID'S WORK.

Territorial Press Records Large Number of Weddings.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Dan Cupid has been busy in Oklahoma as will be seen by the following wedding notices from the territorial press:

At Newkirk, H. C. Brooks and Mrs. Margaret Long were united in marriage Thursday, October 22, by Rev. O. T. Finch, the Baptist minister.

Also at Newkirk a very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. Sam Thomas on the north side on last Monday evening. Mr. Lester Brown and Miss

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Myrtle Thomas were united in marriage, Rev. H. E. Moore officiating. The young people will make their home in the new country, and hosts of friends wish them long life and happiness.

The Methodist minister says that a marriage license was issued the 21st to J. A. DuBois and Mary A. Pitzer, of Wakita, to wed. The Patriot presumes that ere this issue reaches its readers the Major and his bride are enjoying the happiness of married life. Major DuBois has put up with boarding houses and hotel hash many years more than most men would who has a home of his own. The Patriot extends congratulations to Postmaster DuBois and his bride, wishing them a long and happy life.

At Edmond, October 21, at 2 o'clock, Mr. Tranguit Hediger and Miss Anna Albrite were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at the home of the groom's parents, six miles southwest of Edmond. Rev. Jacob, father of the groom, performed the ceremony.

At Shawnee, Thursday morning, Anton Heringer and Miss Tressie Kolsche were united in marriage. Rev. Father Binke performing the ceremony. The church was pretty decorated and the wedding was one of the prettiest seen in this city for some time.

Mr. Omar Hulke and Miss Della H. Hartough of El Reno were married yesterday forenoon at 10 o'clock by Judge Frame. They will live in El Reno and will make their future home in the Morrison addition.

On Tuesday evening, October 27, 1903, Mr. William J. Burkholder and Miss M. E. Cratty, of Nebraska, were married at the residence of L. P. Mitchell, at Geary, Rev. J. Crockett Millins, officiating.

A. J. Gill, E. W. Moore, Miss Horton and the quartet of the law of Oklahoma, were in Ardmore Thursday and witnessed the marriage ceremony performed solemnizing the marriage rites between A. C. High and Miss Anna Merrill, also of Hewitt. They were quietly married at the Morgan hotel, after which they left for home.

At the probate court rooms Thursday, in Oklahoma City a reading notice was granted to Mr. W. B. Rucker and Miss Emma Thomas, both of Tecumseh, O. T. They were united in marriage by the Rev. J. J. Dalton of the Harrison avenue Congregational church in this city, yesterday afternoon.

TROUBLE STILL ON.

Quarantine Law Causes a Great Deal of Litigation.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The trouble over the quarantine law of Oklahoma is still on, and the latest proposition to come up is in the case of S. S. Ambriester of Norman, president of the Norman Cotton Oil Mill company, who has secured an injunction restraining Territorial Cattle Inspector R. H. Hahn from putting a large bunch of cattle which it is claimed were illegally brought across the quarantine line, back into the Chickasaw reservation below the line. The authority of the live stock sanitary board is at issue and if the higher courts sustain the action of the lower court and make the injunction permanent the board will be greatly hampered in its operations.

The cattle are alleged to have been brought across the line about the middle of September by Thad Rea, Lewis Renner and Jim Harden, who had a contract to furnish the oil mill company with 300 cattle for their feeding pens. The cattle were placed in a pasture near Norman and a few more out with them. S. S. Ambriester claims that he is an innocent party and that at the time he purchased the cattle he did not know that they were illegally brought across the line, and it was this argument that he added the restraining order. Inspector Hahn has been working on the case for some time and complaints have been made by him against Rea, Renner and Harden for violating the quarantine laws. However, he could get no satisfaction from Ambriester and arranged with the sheriff of Chickasaw county and a posse of deputies to take the cattle from the pens at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and drive them across the quarantine line into the Chickasaw country.

Ambriester, however, forestalled them by appearing before Judge Sharp early in the morning with a petition asking that a temporary restraining order be granted, and at the final hearing the defendant be permanently enjoined from moving the cattle or interfering with them in any manner. Judge Sharp granted the petition and issued an order temporarily restraining Inspector Hahn or the live stock board from proceeding further.

Although the authority of the live stock board over the quarantine line is at stake, they expressed themselves yesterday as glad that the matter has been taken into court, as their powers will be definitely determined, and if the case is decided in their favor, as they believe it should be, the power of the board cannot be questioned in the future and much of the trouble that is experienced every year will be done away with. C. L. Botsford is the attorney for the plaintiff, while the board will be represented by Attorney General Woods.

The hearing of the cases against Rea, Renner and Harden, charged with violating the quarantine regulations of Oklahoma, will occur tomorrow and Inspector Hahn and Assistant Attorney General Woods will leave for Norman this afternoon.

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GENUINE COWBOY AFFAIR.

Roping Contest in Osage Country Was Fine Exhibition.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The roping contest held in the Osage country, south of the river from Kaw City, was a genuine cowboy affair. W. K. Hale won first prize in 24 seconds; Dean Swift of Sedona, Tex., second money in 41 seconds; and William Martin of the Amago country, third money in 46 seconds. Seven cowboys made up a posse of 100 and roped for it. James Warren of Silverdale, Kan., winning in 40 seconds. High wind and dust made roping difficult. John Morris, foreman of Hale's ranch, slipped on the grass and threw his knee out of joint when he dismounted to tie the steer, but made the end and set on the steer till a carriage came to take him to town.

Will Probably Die.

Ardmore, I. T., Oct. 20.—During the progress of an entertainment at the home of H. S. Oruce, near Hermit, last night, Jesse Clark and Jesse Dooley got into a difficulty. An eye witness states that Clark attempted to cut Dooley with a knife when the latter struck Clark over the head with a revolver, breaking the skull. Clark will probably die. Officers are now investigating the affair.

Territorial Charters Granted.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—A territorial charter was granted today to the Anadarko Mining and Prospecting company of Comanche, in Caddo county, with \$50,000 capital stock. The incorporators

HIGH CLASS DRUGGISTS AND — OTHERS.

The better class of druggists, everywhere, are men of scientific attainments and high integrity, who devote their lives to the welfare of their fellow men in supplying the best of remedies and purest medicinal agents of known value, in accordance with physicians' prescriptions and scientific formula.

Druggists of the better class manufacture many excellent remedies, but always under original or official names and they never sell false brands, or imitation medicines. They are the men to deal with when in need of anything in their line, which usually includes all standard remedies and corresponding adjuncts of a first-class pharmacy and the finest and best of toilet articles and preparations and many useful accessories and remedial appliances. The earning of a fair living, with the satisfaction which arises from a knowledge of the benefits conferred upon their patrons and assistance to the medical profession, is usually their greatest reward for long years of study and many hours of daily toil. They all know that Syrup of Figs is an excellent laxative remedy and that it gives universal satisfaction, and therefore they are selling many millions of bottles annually to the well informed purchasers of the choicest remedies, and they always take pleasure in handing out the genuine article bearing the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package. They know that in cases of colds and headaches attended by biliousness and constipation and of weakness or torpidity of the liver and bowels, arising from irregular habits, indigestion, or over-eating, that there is no other remedy so pleasant, prompt and beneficial in its effects as Syrup of Figs, and they are glad to sell it because it gives universal satisfaction.

Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal satisfaction which it gives, and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not hesitate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name—"Syrup of Figs"—or "Fig Syrup"—and of some piratical concern, or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of the package. The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Figs" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians' prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the druggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.

are: W. K. Miller, William Crawford, A. T. Isle, B. E. Walker, Charles Yahn and B. O. Banks, of Cache; G. H. Block, of Lawton.

The Apache State bank of Apache notified the secretary of an increase in capital stock from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

A notarial commission was issued today to M. M. Rogers of Lookaba in Caddo county.

MUST HERD STOCK.

Pending an Appeal the Cattlemen Are Under Herd Law.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—The following from the Mangum Sun-Monitor would seem to indicate that the "Nesters" have won a decided victory over the cattle barons in the county of Greer. The story as reported by the Sun-Monitor is as follows:

"On August 29, when the free range election cases came up for argument before Judge Beauchamp, on the motion of the board of county commissioners to dismiss the appeals taken from the action of the board in canvassing the returns and declaring in favor of free range, after a partial discussion of the question involved, Judge Beauchamp intimated that his opinion at that time was that the appeals would not lie, for the reason that they were not taken within twenty days from the date of the order calling the elections, and further intimated that if appeal was taken at all it should have been taken from that order and not from the final order declaring the result of the election. Attorney Eakin, for the appellants, asked the court at that time to defer decision on the matter until a full presentation of the questions involved and the decisions on such questions could be made. The court postponed the cases until later in the term for a further hearing.

"On last Friday the cases again came on to be heard. County Attorney Thacker and Jarrett Todd appeared for the defendants and Attorney Eakin for the appellants, and the questions were fully and exhaustively argued. At the conclusion of the argument and on careful consideration of the authorities presented by Mr. Eakin the court announced that he was compelled to change his former view and was constrained to hold that the appeals were rightfully and properly taken, and that having been taken in due time and bonds given for the appeals to operate as a supersedeas and suspend the operation of the results of the election, leaving the provisions of the herd law in full force and effect.

"It will then be seen that the contention of Attorney Eakin that the appeal was properly made and that by reason of the free range provisions had no application, has been fully sustained and it has been held law so long as the matter is pending and undetermined in the courts.

"A strong effort was made by Messrs. Thacker and Todd, after the denial by the court of their motion to dismiss the appeals, to force the cases to final trial, but it being so near the end of the term and impossible for the court to get the necessary cases in time and to prepare the cases for proper trial, he refused to be pressed into trial at that time, and the court continued the cases until next term. In the meantime everyone must take care of his stock."

LIST OF LAND SOLD.

County Commissioners Will Meet and Rectify Errors.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—County Treasurer Henry Francis of Woods county, made a list of lands sold for taxes, which have not been proved up, the assessments were made through error and the persons were made to pay taxes on lands not belonging to them, as they had not proved up, did not pay any attention to the matter of taxes and the lands were sold for taxes. There are about 100 of these farms sold and Mr. Francis will present the cases to the commissioners this week and get the matter straightened up.

WILL GUARD THE LINES.

New Regulations Concerning Quarantine Have Been Received.

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 20.—Secretary Tom Morris of the Oklahoma live stock sanitary board today received from the United States department of agriculture the regulations concerning Oklahoma adopted by the federal authorities to prevent the spreading of pleurotic fever in cattle. It reads as follows:

"From November 1 to December 31, inclusive, cattle from the quarantine districts may be moved to the non-infected area in the territory of Oklahoma after inspection and upon written permission by an inspector of the bureau of animal industry. In the absence of such inspection and permission all movement of cattle from the quarantine district to points outside of such district in the states and territories named in the circular is prohibited, except as provided for immediately slaughter."

This ruling and the regulations prescribed mean that the federal authorities will guard their own lines during the Oklahoma open season, and require all the request made by the Oklahoma live stock sanitary board of the federal authorities.

"The ruling and the